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### CONTINUATION OF AUGUST SALE FURS

One-third to Nearly One-half  
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Furs are the crowning adornment of Women's Winter Garb—in fact, without a piece of some kind the costume is incomplete. The luxury and elegance of furs are well set forth in this August sale—the richest and most beautiful showing we have ever assembled. Great care was exercised in the selection of this superb stock, and absolute frankness dictates the selling policy.

Below we mention several items, but one can only get a clear idea of rare values by seeing the entire collection. Besides, there are skins from which you may have made to order any garment you wish (at sale prices) and we will insure and store it until fall freeze of charge.

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\$7.50 each. Regular value, \$10.00  
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### Muffs.

\$8.75 each. Regular value, \$12.75  
\$11.50 each. Regular value, \$16.50  
\$13.75 each. Regular value, \$20.00  
\$19.75 each. Regular value, \$25.00

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\$35.00 each. Regular value, \$50.00  
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### THE THAW EXPLOITATION COMPANY LIMITED.

When a scion of an enormously wealthy family gets into the clutches of the criminal law, the bar and the faculty, in the language of Wall street, "cut a wat melon." The lawyers and the doctors are reputed to have worked Harry K. Thaw to the tune of about \$600,000 already, and they have filed claims against him for more than \$400,000 in addition. Under the circumstances Thaw has concluded that, being in the asylum for the criminal insane, he is not getting much more than he has already paid for. Wherefore he has scheduled his property and petitions to be adjudicated a bankrupt. He is, however, in the happy condition of one who can part with all his assets and still be worth somewhere between half a million and a million, for he has an income from trust funds of \$33,000 and his lawyers advise him that his creditors cannot touch that.

While Thaw was in danger of the electric chair the lawyers and doctors conld, of course, get anything from him and his family that they demanded, and they must bitterly deplore their moderation in leaving the family in possession of anything. But Thaw has been snatched from the chair and yet is not free, so that he has nothing to fear and nothing to hope for from the two professions and he is quite excusable for refusing to pay any more bills that are not proved up before a register in bankruptcy.

The operation of getting money out of Thaw ought to have been taken over by a stock company, say, the Thaw Exploitation Company, Limited. Under capable management the whole Thaw fortune could have been acquired before the verdict of a jury put him beyond the reach of hope or fear. Matters should have been arranged so that there would be a third and perhaps even a fourth trial. The goose that has laid golden eggs for the doctors and the lawyers has not been killed; but what amounts to almost the same thing, he has been put beyond danger of being killed and he declines—we trust the confusion of genders will be pardoned—to lay a further assortment of golden eggs.—[Philadelphia Record.]

DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills will promptly relieve all Kidney and Bladder disorders. Sold and recommended by W. F. Creighton & Co.

### ASLEEP UNDER WATER.

As showing how much at home a man may be today under water the following is an amusing story. Some months ago, while the great battleship Dreadnought was at Malta, one of the seamen divers went down to clear her propeller from some kottas that had become entangled, and he failed to come up. It chanced that the rest of the battleship's divers were ashore, and grave concern was felt on the warship for the missing worker. Signals by telephone and life-line were sent below, without avail. In the launch above the throb, throb of the air pump's cylinders went on, but the attendants looked at one another in dismay, fearing some heaving green seas. The worst was feared when some big bushes and other tools came floating to the surface, and thereupon the navigating Lieutenant sent ashore an urgent message for one of the other divers. The man came on board, dressed immediately, and went below, only to come up full of indignation.

"Why, that fellow's been asleep all this time!" he said wrathfully. It was true. The man had just had his lunch, and finding the work much less serious than he had thought, he finished it in a few minutes and then sat comfortably on one of the giant blades of the Dreadnought's propeller and went to sleep, with inquisitive fishes swarming around him, attracted by the dazzling searchlight on his breast. The officers were so amused at the occurrence that no punishment was inflicted on the lazy one.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers, safe, easy pleasant, sure, little liver pills. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

### FIFTY YEARS IN A CONVENT.

A very impressive and unusual celebration took place at the Monte Maria Visitation Convent in Richmond this morning, when Mother Justin celebrated her golden jubilee as a religious. Right Rev. Augustine Van de Vyver, Bishop of Richmond, conducted the exercises, during which the venerable jubilarian renewed the vows she made fifty years ago. The jubilee sermon was preached by Rev. A. J. Van Ingelgen, missionary priest of the diocese. Mass was rendered by the choir nuns of the Visitation. The pope has sent to the venerable jubilarian and to all the nuns of the community his special apostolic benediction.

Mother Justin was born in Baltimore, July 7, 1829. She was one of thirteen children, nine of whom are living. Her family name was Euphenia Provost.

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Other Bonds and Stocks		Circulation	100,000.00
Banking House & Real Estate	30,561.56	Deposits	634,591.83
Cash	49,647.62	U. S. Deposits	50,000.00
Due from Banks and Reserve	52,856.97		995,301.39
Agents	109,333.24		
	158,980.86		
	995,301.39		

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U. S. Bonds	152,000.00
Premium on U. S. Bonds	3,000.00
Banking House and Real Estate	26,951.28
Cash	47,022.88
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents	162,334.73
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund	5,000.00
	\$1,225,210.53

Liabilities.	
Capital	\$100,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits	178,683.77
Circulation	100,000.00
Deposits	794,442.13
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